

# "May 1949 Bring You Joy And Happiness And May Your Every Wish Come True"

Arlington Couple Celebrates  
58th Wedding Anniversary



On Saturday, December 18, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Hathaway, who for the past seven years, have made their home with Mrs. Enid M. MacDonald, at the MacDonald Rest Home, 133 Broadway, Arlington, held open house to their many friends in honor of their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary.

Guests were present from Arlington, Winchester, Fall River and Lexington. The couple were the recipients of many lovely gifts, including a substantial purse, as well as hundreds of congratulatory messages.

Although confined to their rooms, the couple enjoyed the preparations for the holidays and

are taking an active part in the various activities of the home.

Mr. Hathaway is 88 years of age. Previous to his retirement twenty-five years ago, he was superintendent of repairs for the Fall River fire department. Both are natives of the latter city, and resided there for many years. Mrs. Hathaway is in her 78th year. Their son Henry H. Hathaway, with his wife and two children, make their home at 15 Allen street, Arlington.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway, Senior, are members of the Calvary Methodist Church, of Arlington.

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## Dinner Winner

Mrs F. A. Ladd, Jr., 170 Mystic street, was a Dinner Winner on the program of that name broadcast over station WCOF on December 20th, at 4:30 p.m. A complete dinner for the family was the award for the right reply to emcee Nelson Bragg's phone greeting.

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Miss Marilyn A. Dingwell, of 15 Jason street street, attended the annual meeting of the International Friendship League recently held at the New England Mutual Hall in Boston. More than three hundred guests were present and members. A member of the league for the past five years, Miss Dingwell was one of twenty taking part in a shortwave broadcast to friends in England, Scotland and New Zealand. The League plans a trip to U. N. Headquarters in Washington next spring.

### Warning To Parents!

Chief Archie F. Bullock, of the Arlington Police Department, has issued a warning to all parents, to keep their children off the ice at both Spy Pond and the Heights Reservoir, as neither place is safe for skating at this time. Three children have already narrowly escaped with their lives, but were fortunate enough to be rescued in the nick of time.

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**VISITING AT MIAMI**  
The Misses Barbara and Janice Carey, of 74 Windsor street, are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents at Miami Florida.

### March Of Dimes Campaign To Be Conducted January 15 to 31



The March of Dimes Campaign which opens officially on January 15th and continues through January 31st is again this year sponsored by (Continued On Page Three)

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### Five Per Cent Bonus Granted To Arlington Town Employees

### "Cost of Living" Raise Not To Include Teachers

A five per cent "cost of living" bonus, or "extra special compensation", as it is called in the warrant, was granted all Arlington town employees, with the exception of school teachers, for the last nine months of the year, at the special town meeting held on Monday evening. To take care of this, the sum of fifty-six thousand dollars (\$56,000) was appropriated.

The additional sum of \$85,000, made until March.

The statute providing for the licensing of open air parking spaces, was accepted.

To comprise the claim of Paul Crosby, for damages resulting from land takings in connection with damages resulting from the taking of her land by the right of eminent domain for schools purposes: the sum of twelve thousand and six hundred (\$12,600.) was appropriated, to be taken from available funds now in the Treasury and expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

In the matter relating to the classification of town employees (Article 9), postponement was (Continued On Page Three)

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**"Happy New Year-Postmen!"**

IN THE MIDST OF OUR NEW YEAR'S FESTIVITIES, let's pause a moment to pay tribute to the tireless workers in the Arlington post office, and in all the post offices of New England to the trudging letter carriers, to their holiday assistants, to all of whom the community owes a debt of gratitude.

Have we ever pondered on the wonders of the mechanism of our postal system, which clicks along unpraised day in and day out, and have we ever considered the magic touch by which a letter tossed in a metal box in Texas on a Tuesday morning turns up on our breakfast table on Thursday morning?

Have we ever considered the minor miracle by which the torrent of Christmas mail tumbles in a tangle into the local postoffices, and then untangles, sorts out and flies to millions of anxiously awaiting destinations.

It's all done by men hard working, attentive to their job, and eager to please.

They're underpaid and unrewarded, and we deem it a privilege in this column to offer them our sincere thanks and to wish for them Happiness in the New Year.

**Candles Of Peace**

Christmas is over at the old farmhouse on the hill. The guests have departed, and the frosty air still echoes to their happy "Goodnights" and good wishes.

The youngsters are long since in bed. Exhausted with happiness, they're asleep beneath the coverlets of the big four poster, the precious toys which Santa brought keeping vigil beside them.

We're lolling luxuriously before the blazing logs in the living room. At our feet, Rover dreams-as only a dog dream, twitching paws and gently snoring, erstwhile opening one eye to make sure his Christmas bone is still intact. Blackie, the cat, from his perch on the broad back of the old lounging chair, surveys the scene in dignity and content.

Now descends upon us that long-awaited, dove-like hour of peace. Now at last we're alone. And we speak of friends, dear and many, near and far, whose thoughts come to bless us and we pray that our thoughts have made their Day too a little brighter. Wherever they may be.

For today all around the world, these lights of friendship are being kindled. So many millions of tiny flames of goodwill, we think, must fill the universe to overflowing and shed their radiance on the lonely, the poor, the war-torn peoples everywhere.

And so we make this our wish for the New Year-That we keep these little candleless of love, kindled at the Crib of the Christ Child, aglow through all the days to come, toward the day of universal peace and brotherhood.

A miracle? Perhaps, but the New Year is the time for miracles, and under God's guidance, we can make those dreams of peace throughout the World, come true.

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Rowbridge 6-2971**FUNERALS**

Mrs. Hildegard M. Hanson

ton coal merchant and town official who died suddenly of a heart attack on Sunday, December 26, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Aulenback, were held from the First Baptist Church, Arlington Centre, on Tuesday afternoon, December 28, at 2:30 o'clock.

A native of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, Mrs. Peirce was a past president of the Arlington Woman's Temperance Union, the Arlington Woman's Club and the Woman's Baptist Social Union, Boston.

She leaves her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Aulenback, with whom she made her home, one son, Phillip C., of Uniontown, Pa., and two brothers, Wallace L. Cook and Caleb Cook, of Yarmouth, N.S. Burial was in Mount Pleasant Cemetery in Arlington.

Mrs. Louise A. St. Coeur

Funeral services for Mrs. Louise A. St. Coeur, 74, of 26 Newton road, Arlington, a daughter-in-law of the late Aphone St. Coeur, former holder in Arlington of the Boston Post Cane, will be held this morning (Thursday) from the D. W. Grannan and Sons Funeral Home, 378 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington, with a requiem High Mass at ten o'clock, in St. Agnes Church. Burial will be at St. Paul's Cemetery, Arlington.

William E. Robinson

Services for William E. Robinson, 50, of 5 Webster Ave., who passed away suddenly on Friday, at Garfield, New Jersey, were held from home Tuesday morning, with a solemn high mass of requiem at St. Agnes Church at nine o'clock.

A native of this town, he had been manager of a trucking terminal at Garfield for the past ten years. His father, the late Thomas J. Robinson, was town clerk of Arlington for more than twenty years.

A veteran of World War I, he was a lieutenant in the 163 Infantry Division. He leaves a brother Philip T., of this town, and three sisters, Mrs. Paul Lockwood, of Belmont; Mrs. Edmund Flynn Scituate and Marion E., of Arlington.

Mrs. Ruth Peirce

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruth (Cook) Peirce, 78, of 15 Newman Way, Arlington, widow of the late Warren A. Peirce, former Arling-

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Richard T. Jalson

Former classmates served as bearers at the funeral of Richard T. Jalson, 19, of 15 Newman Way, Arlington, a freshman in the College of Business Administration at Boston College, who died on Monday at his home following a brief illness.

Jalson is survived by his widowed mother, Mrs. Sadie A. Jalson, Boston College faculty members and fellow students paid their final respects on Thursday morning at a solemn high mass of requiem, at St. Agnes' Church. Burial was in Mount Pleasant Cemetery in Arlington.

Mrs. Annie F. Grannan

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie F. Grannan, 378 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington, who died on Tuesday morning at her home in her 91st year, just ten months to the day following the death of her husband, Daniel W. Grannan, founder of Daniel W. Grannan & Sons Funeral Home, were held Friday morning from the residence with a solemn high mass of requiem at St. Agnes' church at nine o'clock. Burial was at the Mount Pleasant Cemetery in Arlington. Mrs. Grannan leaves two sons, William D. Grannan, who is carrying on the funeral business, and Walter R. of Canaan, Conn., where he is editor of the Connecticut Western News. She also leaves three daughter, Mrs. John P. Troy, Mrs. Frederick A. Mansfield, both of Arlington, and Mrs. Arthur Lane, of Belmont. There are fourteen children and seven grandchildren.

Mrs. Grannan

Services for Haig Bedrosian, husband of Acab (Tashjian) Bedrosian, who died on December 20th, at his home, 39 Lake Street, were held from the Aram Bedrosian funeral home, 558 Mount Auburn Street, Watertown, on Thursday noon, December 23, at twelve noon. Services were also held from the Armenia Holy Trinity Church, Shawmut Avenue Boston, at one o'clock.

Abram Anthony

Funeral services for Abram Anthony, husband of Clementina (Stewart) Anthony, of 136 Broadway, who passed away on Monday, December 20, were held from the Masonic Temple, 1950 Massachusetts Avenue, North Cambridge, on Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock.

Gabriel J. Cahaly

Funeral services for Gabriel James Cahaly, 47, of 75 Oxford Street, Arlington, Cambridge merchant were held on Monday morning, with a solemn high mass

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Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Anthony V Gnecco

Funeral services for Anthony V.

Gnecco, 52, husband of Jennie C.

(Fortini) Gnecco, who died suddenly

by accident at his home on

Friday, December 24, were held

from the residence, 147 Washington

Street, on Tuesday morning,

December 28th, at eight o'clock,

with a solemn high mass of requiem

at St. James Church at nine o'clock.

The family have been

residents of Arlington for the past

eight years. Mr. Gnecco was as-

sociated with the Lincoln Photo

Engraving Company, of Boston,

for many years, and was an active

member of the Photo Engravers

Union.

In addition to his wife, he leaves

two sons, Edward and George Cahaly,

and one daughter, Gloria Cahaly, at

home: his mother Mrs. Shafica Cahaly, of

Allston: four brothers and two

sisters.

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**MARCH OF...**

sored by the Arlington Auxiliary Police Association.

For many months the preliminary work has been going on behind the scenes and during the past few weeks many evenings have been devoted to the stuffing and sealing of over 10,000 folders which will be mailed shortly to residents of Arlington.

The above picture was taken on an evening when the folders were reaching the final process and being prepared for mailing. Those assisting in the picture are: left to right:

Mr. William J. Sinclair is Campaign Chairman assisted by the following:

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School Division, Mr. Carl A. Johnson.

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Women's Division, Chairman, Miss Bernice H. Holmes, assisted by Mrs. Russell T. Hamlet, Mrs. Alfred C. Bridgens Mrs. Mary Agnew, Miss Vivian Woods, Miss Marcia Donaldson, Miss Dorothy Bergstrom and Mrs. Marion Keever.

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building in the Locke and Brackett school districts, and to report its recommendations to the Town at the next Special Town Meeting, if any, but not later than the Annual Town Meeting in March 1949.

Article 10: On recommendation of the Finance Committee, it was voted for the passage of the by law for a record of the attendance of Town Meeting Members at all representative Town Meetings, under the direction of the Town Clerk, said record to be available to the public.

**Engagements**

Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Condon, of 119 Emerald Street, Medford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Joan Theresa Condon, who is a student at Lowell Teachers' College, to John Joseph McCarthy, son of Mrs. John J. McCarthy, of Arlington.

**Popular Local Girl Engaged**

Christmas was double festive at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Casey, of this town, who announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Eva Marie, to David Maraden Carey, at a tea held Saturday afternoon. Favoring at the urns were Patricia Carey, Norine Casey, Catherine Marie Doyle, Anne Steffens and Marie Natoli.

An alumna of Regis College, Miss Casey is past chairman of junior service committee of the League of Catholic Women. Mr. Garey, the son of Mr. David Garey, of Concord, is a graduate of Boston College. During the recent war, he served with the United States army in the European Operations.

**Boy Scouts**

The December Pack Meeting was held Friday, December 10 in the auditorium of the Parmenter School. Exhibits of Handicraft from each of the ten dens were in evidence for examination by parents.

This was the annual Christmas with Christmas Carols, presents for all ice cream, cake and more cookies than even these hungry youngsters could clean up.

It was announced that 295 Christmas wreaths had been sold by members of the pack. In this sale, Den 5 is the winner with an average of 9 wreaths per den member, and the individual winners are Byron Roscoe, Jay Smith, and James Snow.

Pack 85 inaugurated the Christmas season at Locke School Auditorium on Friday Night, December 17. Presentation of bobcat pins was made by Cubmaster Frank Loring to the following Cubs: Kenneth Gordon, Michael Luongo, Joseph V. Larkin, Stoddard E. Chaplin, Joseph T. Wixtead, William Goodenough, David

Blackmon, James Blackmon, Dom Manzelli, Dennis Morrell, Henry D. Biggs, Thomas J. Kenney, Paul J. Griffin and Jay Fowler.

Then followed a show by Fuling the Chinese Magician, whose oriental Wiles had Cubs and parents agog. Cub Lawrence Jean, was presented the rabbit which had been mysteriously cooked up in Den Dad Larson's hat and Den Mother O'Connor narrowly missed losing her head in the asiatic guillotine.

Presents from Santa Claus and ice cream and candy completed a bang-up evening, which will be long remembered.

There are now 10 dens in Pack 85, which probably makes it the largest in Arlington. Here is the list of Den Mothers and Dads: Mrs. Ernest R. Gavin, Mrs. H. B. Watson, Mrs. Bryant Fowler, Mrs. George W. Worth, Mrs. H. Walter Glasspool, Mrs. M. Larkin, Mrs. J. H. O'Connor, Mrs. Charles W. Blackmon, Mr. Michael Luongo, Mr. Ralph E. Kimball, Mr. Rudolph Larson and Mr. Henry W. Goodenough.

The ceremony took place at the Immaculate Conception Church, Cambridge, at nine o'clock, December 27th and was performed by Rev. George McHugh.

Mrs. Justin Comeau was maid of honor for her sister and the best man was Mr. Justin Comeau.

A small reception followed at the Hotel Continental in Cambridge, after which the bridal pair took a plane for New York City.

**MRS. FANNIE HADLEY OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Congratulations to Mrs. Fannie Hadley, of this town, who will celebrate her ninetieth birthday on Friday of this week.

**ARLINGTON GIRL WEDS CAMBRIDGE MAN**

Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph Lanigan, announce the marriage of their daughter, Claire Irene, to Mr. Eugene Alfred Sullivan, of Cambridge.

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**ELECTED TO BOARD OF ARLINGTON FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANKS**

The Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank announces with pleasure the election to its Board of Trustees of Mr. Roscoe O. Elliott of 1 Windmill Lane, Arlington and Mr. Hollis M. Gott of 90 Churchill Avenue, Arlington.

Also elected at the annual meeting of the Bank to membership in the Corporation were Mr. Charles A. Armitage, Mr. Howard E. Cousins, Mr. John J. Driscoll, Mr. Michael A. Fredo, Dr. Stephen G. Jones and Dr. Ralph B. Lancaster all of Arlington.

**Plan February Wedding**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Rowland of Arlington announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Ann, to John T. Galvin, son of James A. Galvin, and the late Mrs. Galvin of Bridgeport, Conn. Miss Rowland is a graduate of Radcliffe and her fiance graduated from Columbia University.

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## Arlington Grandmother Wins In Post Contest

One of the recent feminine winners in the popular Boston Post "Last Liner" contest was Mrs. Sara O'Neill, of 31 Kimball road, Arlington, who has seven children and three grandchildren.

A lifelong love for poetry and limericks plus a keen sense of humor, doubtless played important roles in Mrs. O'Neill's recent success in writing the successful last line to jingle No. 31. Although the Arlington grandmother has followed the contest since its inception in the Post she revealed that she only actually submitted three entries. Her third effort won the \$100. prize.

Mrs. O'Neill's sons and daughters were surprised that their mother had entered the contest. They thought she was too busy to compose limericks, but the gray haired soft spoken woman proved otherwise. She also disclosed that writing poetry for her own relaxation and enjoyment has always been a hobby and source of much comfort to her.

A native of Lynn, Mrs. O'Neill, who has been a resident of this town for the past twenty years, stated that she has greatly enjoyed following the contest. While waiting for her husband, Laurence J. O'Neill, a fuel company executive, to return for lunch, Mrs.

O'Neill found time to read the jingles each day.

A devotee of poetry since her classroom days at St. Mary's School in Lynn, Mrs. O'Neill believes that a genuine sense of humor is a great asset, not only in competing for jingle prizes, but through life in general.

Her greatest interest of course is caring to her three small grandchildren and we presume that the Post prize money played a big part in making Santa extra generous to the three youngsters this year.

Mrs. O'Neill's seven children are: Mrs. Clare Sullivan, of Lexington; Mrs. Bernadette Ritchie, of Lynnfield, the Misses Anne, Margaret and Mary O'Neill, of Arlington, Laurence J. O'Neill, Jr., of Stoneham, and Philip, of Arlington. Both sons served in World War II. Her grandchildren are Ralph Ritchie, 4; Robert Ritchie, 3, and Laurence J. O'Neill, 3rd who is five years old.

Mrs. O'Neill's prize winning jingle was as follows:

"A hunter out hunting for deer,  
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### STUDENTS HONORED AT METHODIST SERVICE

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## Many Winners In Art Contest

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Winner of the first prize of twenty five dollars was Florence McCarthy, of 38 Kensington park. Her water color "The Red Barn" certainly brought nostalgic memories to many country dwellers and lovers. A pencil sketch by Don Wilson, of 33 Bloomfield street,

## Arlington Grads Hold Dance

Arlington High school class of 1947, held a dance Wednesday evening in Robbins Memorial Town Hall. Richard Ockerbloom, president, was chairman of the committee in charge.

ing "The Harvest" done by Joseph G. Keefe, of 9 Temple street, Arlington brought third prize of five dollars.

As the junior artists were so well represented in the showing, it was decided to judge a junior class. In this class, a delightful landscape in water colors, by Donald Barron, of 67 Dartmouth St., Belmont, won first prize of five dollars. Second prize of three dollars for "The Blue Gate" was won by Ann Cavanaugh, of 16 Richfield road, Fred Norris, of 311 High street, West Medford was the winner of the third prize, for his oil painting "The Two Masted Schooner."

Lexington, brought down the second prize, with the subject "Bideford Pool," while an oil paint-

## Hardy School Holiday Fete

With more than 150 Cubs and Guests in attendance, Cub Pack 83 held their annual Christmas Party on December 17 at the Hardy School.

The entertainment was furnished by Dorothy Wickwire, accordionist and Bud McManus and his harmonica.

Advancements were presented to the various Cubs, followed by the singing of Christmas Carols.

An amusing and entertaining sketch with sound effects, "The Night Before Christmas," was presented by the Cubs of Den 3, under the direction of Mrs. Joyce Connell. During the presentation of the sketch the poem "The Night Before Christmas" was recited by Cubmaster George Birt-

well.

At the recent annual meeting of the Lincoln Savings Bank, of Roxbury, Mr. Francis A. Crotty, of 4 Baadley road, Arlington was elected a trustee. Mr. Crotty is a former President of the National Conference of Laymen's Retreat Leagues, and a prominent national figure in industrial catering.

The highlight of the evening was the presentation of gifts to the Cubs and Santa Claus, played by Clifford Austin.

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## CDA Yule Party

On Monday evening, Dec. 27, Court St., Agnes No. 141, C D of A enjoyed its annual Christmas party at American Legion Hall, preceded by a short business meeting at 7:30 Instead of the usual exchange of gifts, members were requested to bring a new article of clothing for a needy child of Europe (Age-Infant to two years) Mrs. Margaret Craig, Chairman, and her committee put on a pleasant evening of entertainment to be followed by refreshments.



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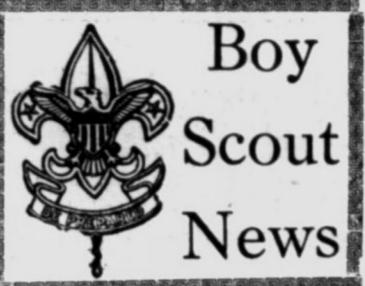
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## Zonta Club To Meet Jan. 13

The next meeting of the Zonta Club of Arlington, will be held at the Winchester Country Club, on Thursday, January 13, when Mrs. Lowry will give an exhibition of movies taken on the recent Archibishop pilgrimage to Rome this last summer.

### Initiated

Miss Marie MacDonald was recently initiated as a member of the Phi Epsilon Sigma Sorority at Burdett College, Boston, where she is a first-year student in the shorthand theory course. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. MacDonald of 32 Windsor Street, Arlington.

### Arlington Couple Wed 55 Years

Our congratulations and best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. S. Harrison Lovewell, who have been residents of Arlington for the past 35 years, who on Monday celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary at their home, 126 Highland avenue. The couple was married in Easton, Pennsylvania Mr. Lovewell, who is a retired musician, has taught music, lectured on the subject of music and made wellknown translations. There are four daughters, ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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From indications it would seem that Arlington shoppers this year concentrated on the more practical

### HOSPITAL PATIENTS ENTERTAIN

All patients at the Symmes Arlington Hospital on Christmas Day were able to entertain one guest each at Christmas dinner with them. There were thirty-three patients in the hospital and twenty guest dinners were served. All patients and guests enjoyed a delicious holiday dinner. Mr. Ernest W. Davis president of the Board of Trustees, visited all patients in the house on Christmas Day and extended the Greetings of the Season to all.

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### NURSES HOLD HOLIDAY PARTY

A delightful Christmas party was held on Tuesday, December 21, for the personnel of the Symmes Arlington hospital, at the Nurses Home. Ninety-four employees, including twenty staff doctors, enjoyed an evening of carol singing, entertainment and dancing. Refreshments were served.

The following is a list of babies born at the Symmes Arlington Hospital the week ending midnight Sunday, December 19th, is given here:

To: Mr. and Mrs. William W. Stewart of 20 Central Street, Arlington a daughter, on December 15th, 1948, named Janice Lee.

To: Mr. and Mrs. John H. Porter of 8 Kimball Road, Lexington, a son, on December 17th, 1948, named Robert Ellis.

To: Mr. and Mrs. George L. Guaraldi of 114 Lake Street, Arlington, a son on December 18th, 1948, named Paul Edmund.

To: Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Norris of Brown Street, Pinehurst, a daughter, on December 18th, 1948.

To: Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Malcolm of 32 Bow Street, Lexington, a son, on December 19th, 1948.

To: Mr. and Mrs. Keith S. Skilin of Guilford, Maine, a daughter, on December 19th, 1948, named Leann Ivy.

To: Mr. and Mrs. James Frederick Ronan, on the birth of a daughter, Susan Dick Ronan, at the Chester Hospital North Cambridge.

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## Lexington Girl Becomes Bride Of Arlington Man In Double Ring Ceremony

At a double ring ceremony held recently at the Sacred Heart Church, East Lexington, Miss Connie Pierro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donato Pierro, became the bride of Patrick Agostino, of this town.

Beautifully gowned in bridal satin, with yoke of Chantilly lace and seed pearls, a tight bodice and full skirt, made en train, with long sleeves pointed at the wrist the bride wore a finger tip veil caught to a Juliet cap of seed pearls, and a cascade of white chrysanthemums and stephanotis completed her costume.

Miss Helen Pierro, the bride's sister, was maid of honor, and was lovely in her rose taffeta gown with matching tulle fingertip veil.

## Felicitations For The Willard Pikes

Celebrating their 57 wedding anniversary on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Willard U. Pike, 26 Albermarle Street, Arlington, held open house for their family and friends. They both enjoyed excellent health, and take an active interest in the affairs of the day.

Married in Alameda, California, they have resided in Arlington for more than forty years. A son, Leslie E. Pike, of this town, and two daughters, Mrs. John F. Gunn, of Arlington Heights, and Mrs. Walter W. McInnis, of Hudson, New Hampshire, assisted their parents in receiving their many guests. There are five grandchildren as well as five great grandchildren.

### Good Samaritan Circle Meets

The Good Samaritan Circle of King's Daughters held a regular meeting at the home of their president, Mrs. Ruth Woodworth, 47 Kilsyth Road, on Wednesday afternoon December 29, at 1:30 o'clock. The meeting took the form of a Christmas party. The assisting hostesses included Mrs. J. C. Sherwood, Mrs. Enid Leighton and Mrs. Harold Tenney.

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### Shares In Funfest

Mrs. G. A. Gibson, 788 Mass. Avenue, Arlington, was a participant in the recent broadcast of the "GE Boston Tea Party" over station WCOP and WCOP-FM. Selected from the studio audience to take part in one of the stunts of the day, she was awarded a GE appliance for her efforts.

The "Boston Tea Party" funfest, starring Stan Shaw, airs every Monday through Friday from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., over WCOP.

Mrs. Edward J. Roach, 40 Windsor St., East Arlington, was a participant in the December 13 broadcast of the "GE Boston Tea Party" over station WCOP and WCOP-FM. Selected from the studio audience to take part in one of the stunts of the day, she was awarded a GE appliance for her efforts.

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## Arlington Officer Wins New Army Job

First Lieutenant Edward J. Johnson, son of Mrs. Edward H. Johnson, of 41 Churchill avenue, Arlington, has been honored by being assigned as duty officer of the Far East Air Forces, in Tokyo, Japan.

Lt. Johnson is a veteran of the recent war, in which he served as a bomber pilot. His wife, Mrs. Anne Stucky, Johnson, and son Edward, will join him in the near future.

### Lt. Edward J. Johnson On Japan Assignment

First Lieutenant Edward J. Johnson, son of Mrs. Edward H. Johnson, 41 Churchill Avenue, has recently taken the assignment as duty officer at the communications center of the Far East Air Forces in Tokyo, Japan, in which assignment, he will be responsible for all incoming and outgoing radio and teletype communications.

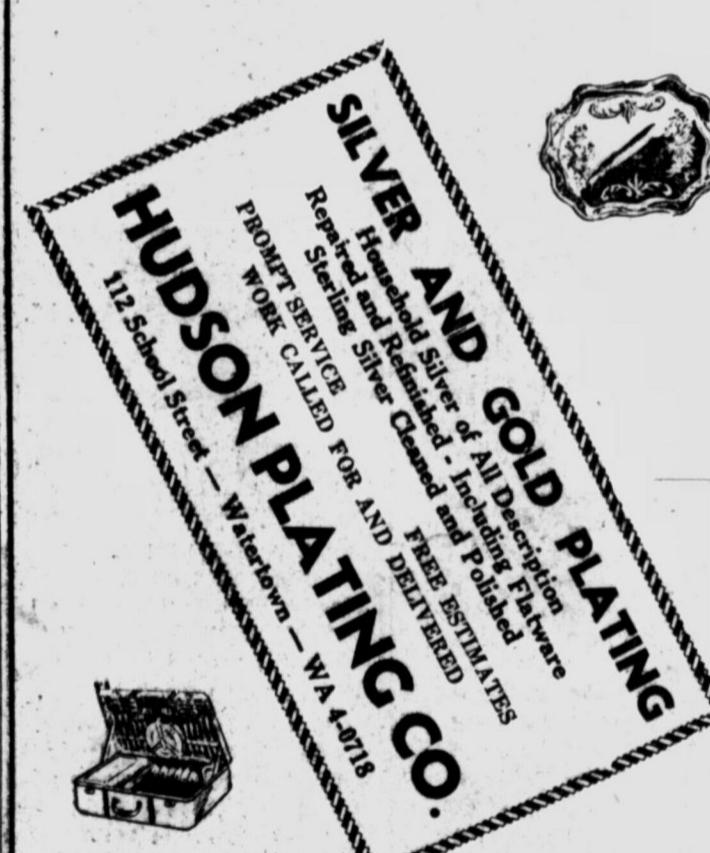
Enlisting in the air force in August of 1942, Lt. Johnson was duly graduated as a bomber pilot.



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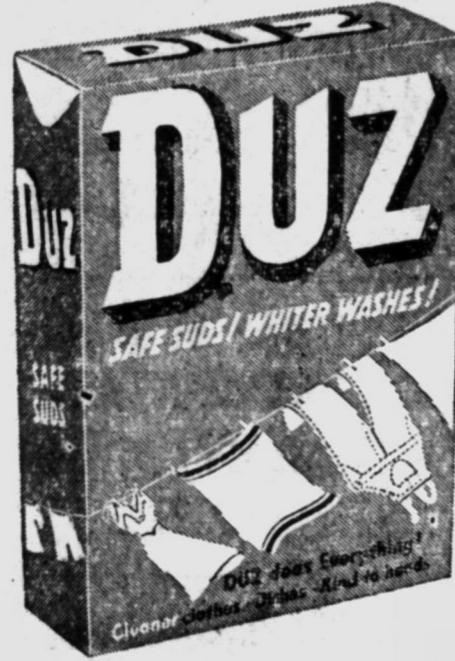
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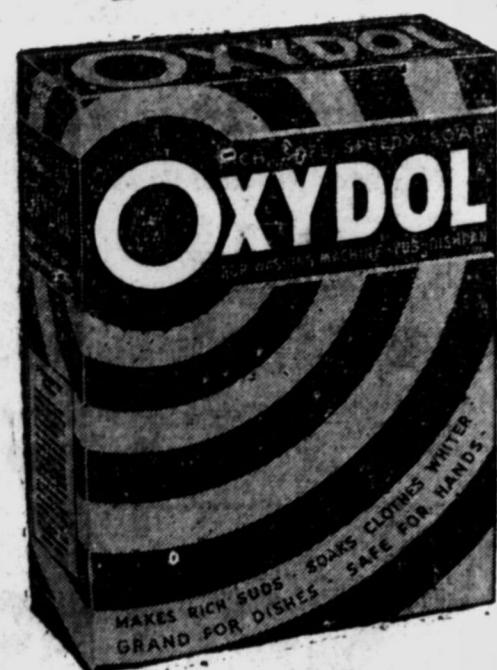
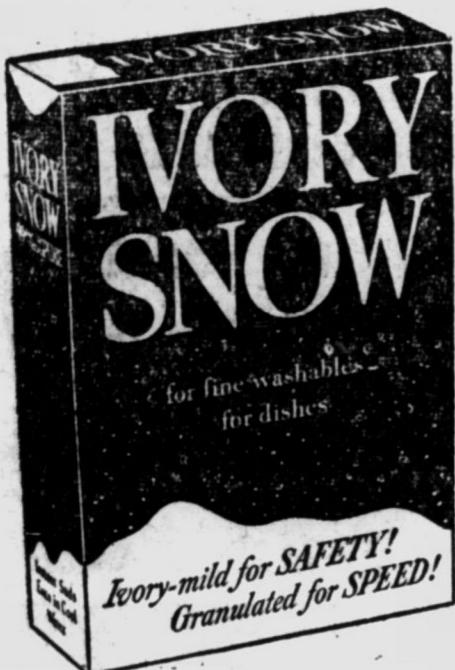
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## Court St. Agnes

### Hold Yule Party

The annual Christmas party of the Court St. Agnes, Catholic Daughters of America, of Arlington, was held on Monday evening, in American Legion Hall. Instead of the usual exchange of gifts, members brought new articles of clothing to be sent to needy children in Europe, to fit children from infancy up to two years. Mrs. Margaret Craig was chairman of the affair.

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## Facts Pertaining To Summer St. Boulevard

In discussing the widening of Summer street Boulevard, a state highway from Brattle street, Arlington, to the Lexington line, Representative-elect Henry E. Keenan has pointed out certain facts. According to a map dated September 12, 1916, this highway was taken over by the Massachusetts Highway Commission on the date specified. The highway, as outlined on the map, was to be 50 feet wide, allowing 30 feet of road surface, with 10 feet on each side for sidewalks and curbing. The 50 foot right of way was cut through the location and land damages were paid at the time. However, the road in some places measures only 16 to 18 feet in width for actual paved surface, and sidewalks were never completed along much of this roadway. This highway passes through one of the best residential sections of the town and, since the time of its taking, many substantial homes have been built in the area. Yet its condition is a danger to

both children and adults. This highway passes a newly constructed playground at the corner of Forest Street, and passes the Pierce School. This has caused additional hazards, due to this lack of sidewalks and the general condition of the highway. Considerable ledge juts into the roadway between Brattle Street, the junction of Washington Street and Forrest Street Square. When the highway is ploughed in the winter, the banked snow on either side narrows the roadway to about the width of a car and a half. The additional hazard of ice on the road makes a very dangerous driving condition, and there is little or no space for pedestrians, due to lack of sidewalks.

A glance at this mile and a half of roadway on a map that shows the number of accidents that have happened upon it from 1937 to the present date, reveals that there have been fifty-six. Three of these were fatal; others caused personal injuries or damage to automobiles. These records were furnished by the Chief of Police of Arlington, Archie Bullock, and by Edgar F. Copell, State Traffic Engineer.

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## A. H. S. '47 Holds Reunion

On Wednesday evening, December 29, the Arlington High School class of 1947, held its informal reunion and dance.

The class officers in charge of the reunion included Richard Ockerbloom, president; Richard Coleman, vice president; Virginia Healy, Treasurer and Geraldine Conway, Secretary.

Members of the class who assisted on the committee included: Natalie Hall, Mary Donahue, Loraine Lambert, Joann Bresnahan, Joanne Babine, Elaine Cummings, Charlotte Fredo, Ethel Pickell, Eleanor Beck, Doris Galli, Norma Cowan, Mary O'Connor, Pat McGrath, Paul Mottola and Queenie Woods.

This was the first of a series of reunions planned by the class.

## Registration For Art Classes

Mrs. Edwin Barnard, chairman of the Menotomy Art Centre classes, a project sponsored by the Arlington Council of Parent Teacher Associations, has announced the second series of art classes to begin on Saturday January 15, at the Junior High Center. Registration will be at nine a. m., and the first class will be on the same day at 9:30 o'clock. The dates on which classes will be held are as follows: January 15 22 and 29, February 5, 12 and 19, March 5, 12, 19, and 26.

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